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In re Application of: Tamura)
Application No. 10/602,627.) **DECISION ON PETITION TO MAKE**
Filed: June 25, 2003) **SPECIAL UNDER**
For: SOFTWARE ENGINE FOR) **M.P.E.P. §708.02(IV): APPLICANT'S**
MULTIPLE, PARALLEL PROCESSING) **AGE**
WITH NEURAL NETWORKS)

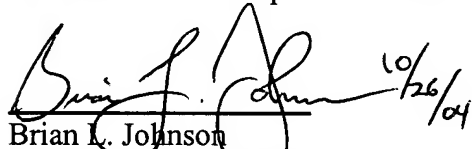
This is a decision on the petition, filed June 7, 2004, under 37 C.F.R. 1.102(c) and M.P.E.P. §708.02(IV): Applicant's Age, to make the above-identified application special.

A grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.102(c), and M.P.E.P. §708.02, Section IV, must include evidence showing that the applicant is 65 years of age or more. Evidence in the form of a birth certificate or applicant's statement is sufficient. There is no fee required for such a petition.

The petition filed June 7, 2004 includes a statement that applicant's age is over 65 yrs., thus the requirements set forth above are met.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application is being forwarded to the examiner to be advanced out of turn for examination in accordance with the procedures set forth in M.P.E.P. §708.02 and 37 C.F.R. 1.102.

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